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| <p>(C-NFD) The Ministry of National Defense (MND), Government of the Republic of China, planned to dispatch a 4-man team composed of military electronic experts to KINMEN (2427N/11823E) and MATSU (2609N/11956E) Islands. Leaving from TAIPEI (2503N/12130E) on or about 10 Aug 68, the team is to investigate unidentified flying objects (UFO) which have been making recent daily appearances over the off-shore islands. The objects, moving in pairs or groups of three, normally appear in the afternoon hours and always at the same approximate time of day. They generally remain in sight for about two minutes at an estimated height of 20,000 feet or higher.</p> |  |   |  |   |  |
| <p>(Evaluation Reports, DD Forms 1480, prepared on this IR will be classified at least CONFIDENTIAL.)</p> <p>Field Comment (C-NFD): MND suspects the UFOs may possibly be some form of electronic device used by the Chinese Communists.</p> <p>Comment of Preparing Officer: (C-NFD) Information on the UFO sightings over the off-shore islands was forwarded in 500th MI Gp message DMIG-OT 1987, DTG 100050Z Aug 68 (NOTAL), subject: UFO Sighting in Taiwan Strait (U).</p>   |  |   |  |   |  |
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